

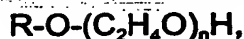
WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A hair conditioning composition comprising:

- (1) from about 0.01% to about 10% of a carboxylic acid/carboxylate copolymer;
- (2) from about 0.1% to about 10% of a moisturizing agent selected from the group consisting of a polypropyleneglycol, an alkyl ethoxylate, and mixtures thereof; and
- (3) an aqueous carrier.

2. The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 wherein the moisturizing agent is the polypropyleneglycol.

3. The hair conditioning composition according to Claim 1 wherein the moisturizing agent is the alkyl ethoxylate of the following formula:



wherein R is a linear and saturated, or unsaturated alkyl group having from about 1 to about 30 carbon atoms; n is from about 3 to about 6; the weight average molecular weight of the alkyl ethoxylate is less than about 500 g/mol, and the HLB value of the alkyl ethoxylate is from about 5 to about 12.

4. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} any of Claims 1, 2, or 3 further comprising from about 0.1% to about 10% of a silicone compound selected from the group consisting of Dimethicone fluid, Dimethicone gum, Dimethiconol fluid, and mixtures thereof.5. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} any of Claims 1, 2, or 3 further comprising from about 0.1% to about 5% of a low melting point oil.6. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} any of Claims 1, 2, or 3 further comprising from about 0.05% to about 5% of an amphoteric polymer.

7. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} [any of Claims 1, 2, or 3] further comprising from about 0.01% to about 5% of an additional viscosity modifier.
8. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} [any of Claims 1, 2, or 3] further comprising from about 0.01% to about 5% of a visible particle.
9. The hair conditioning composition according to ^{CLAIM 1} [any of Claims 1, 2, or 3] further comprising from about 0.01% to about 2% of an herbal extract.
10. A method of making the hair conditioning composition according to Claim 6; wherein the hair conditioning composition further comprises a neutralizing agent; comprising the steps of:
- (a) neutralizing the carboxylic acid/carboxylate copolymer with the neutralizing agent in the aqueous carrier; and
 - (b) adding the amphoteric polymer and the moisturizing agent to the obtained mixture.

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